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W. S. FISHER, FLORIST,
Has removed from 1425 Pennsylvania ave.
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JULIUS LANSBURGH
SPEAKS A FEW WORDS.
We are almost regis to occupy our new building on the corner of 13th and F; when finished it will have four times the floor space that we now have at 315 7th

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When we started April, 1879, in a storeroom 18 by 60 feet, and one year later took the floor under Odd Feliows' hall and two years later moved into our present quarters, each time we feet alarmed lest our last venture prove a failure. But we were mistaken, steadily but surely we added Department after Department and the rapidly increasing business necessitated the leasing of a larger building specially built for us and one adapted to suil further increase our already increased business. This building, as the readers of The Star know, will be on the corner of 13th and F. During our business career we have placed many advertisements and expended many thousands of dollars, but in doing so we never paraded our goods as being better than other merchants; neither did we try to belittle a brother merchants; neither did we try to belittle a brother merchant in our line or any other mae of business; we have attended strictly to our own affairs, and felt and have still the same feeling that Washington is large enough to support 50 Furniture and Carpet Houses like ours. We do not propose to ask advice of other merchants in reference to the profits to be placed upon our goods, neither will we ask them to kindly let us alone; the more they worry as the better the advertisement and the quicker we dispose of our goods, for not a dollars' worth of the present stock will be taken into the new building.

For Week Commencing MONDAY, May 6, 2,000 Window Shades, all colors, 2 yards long and on patent fixtures, 22 cents each.

Another 150 Japanese Wolf Rugs in white, size 3 feet by 6 feet, 8,1,90 cach.

55 pairs Antique I ace Curtains at \$5 per pair; last month they were \$10.

13s pairs of Heavy Chemille Curtains, very wide and 35 yards long, will be sold at \$7.50; last month the price was \$15.

price was \$15. All our best quality odd Stair Carpets in Tapestry, 59c.; in Wilton Velvet, 198c. All best quality Extra Super Carpet, 65c.; all best quality 3-ply carpet, 75c. MATTINGS. MATTINGS. MATTINGS. 13,000 Relis in white, fancy and damask, from \$4

13,000 Relis in white, fancy and damask, from \$4 per roll 40 yards.
FURNITURE. FURNITURE. FURNITURE.
This department worries us more than any of the other ones, owing to the large stock on hand, and in cutting the prices again in order to quickly sell, we feel that it is the only remedy we have.
For week commencing Monday, May 5th:
15 Parlor Suits, handsomely upholstered in various shades in Tapestry and Siik Plush, consisting of 5 pieces, will be offered at \$60 per suit; sold from \$100 to \$115. Those in need of a fine suit would do well to buy one. They are made well and are perfect. On display, 2d floor.

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15 Antique Oak Bed Suites, square beveled-plate mirrors, \$250 for 3 pieces.

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MUTUAL CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING

Association—Third issue of stock now ready. \$2.50 a month Association meets May 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Money sold at 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Money sold at 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Money sold at 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Money sold at 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Money sold at 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Money sold at 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Money sold at 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Money sold at 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Money sold at 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Money sold at 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Money sold at 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Money sold at 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Money sold at 7, 1889, at 1300 f st. n.w. Mone

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24 Large Rockers, in wainut, oak and mahogany nnish, #3.75.

22 smaller Rockers, same as above, #3.25.
CHAIRS. CHAIRS. CHAIRS.
3,000 Chairs left; used one day on the grand stands, 4th of March.
Price now 15 cts. Price now 15 cts.
Oak Tables for bed rooms, #1.50.
Oak Rockers for bed rooms, #1.75.
Oak Chairs for bed rooms, #1.75.
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St. Ob Smyrna Rugs, reduced to #1.55.
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Owing to the great rush, specific promises as to time of delivery of goods cannot be made. We will do our best. JULIUS LANSBURGH.

T. B. Towner & Son.

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Clark's O. N. T. Speel Cetten, 4c. per speel. Black Gres Grain Silk, an extra bergain, \$1. Large line of Battste, in Beautiful Styles, 12%c. Challe, 5c., 8c. and 18c. Lawns, East Colors.

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Sattnes, French styles, from 10c. to 25c.
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Percale, worth 10c., only 8c.
All-Wool Faunel Suiting, 13c yards wide, 50 cts.
Black Henrietta, very cheap, 50c. and 65c.
Dress Trinmings in great vertety.
A hig Bergain in White Goods for 5c.; worth 10c.
A handful lim of Bildens. Embeddery and Flour

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SERIAL SAVINGS AND BUILDING NEW 23D ISSUE OF STOCK.

The books for subscription to stock in the new 23d issue of the Serial Savings and Building Association are now open, and dues can be paid on the same any day from 9 o'clock a. m. to 4:30 o'clock p. m., at the office of the Secretary and Treasurer, Jno. A. Prescott, Keilogg building, No. 1416 F st. n. w. Shares are \$1 each, commencing with May and payable monthly thereafter. The last issue of stock was the largest the "Serial" has made, and the present one, it is expected, will be as large, if not larger. The busines of the "Serial" for the past year has been exceptionally prosperous. No better opportunity could be offered for investment of monthly savings where interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum is promised and always paid. worth 65c. Surah Silk, in Black and Colors, 50c. TRAVELING GOODS AT BOTTOM PRICES

GRAIN LEATHER CLUB SATCHELS.

10 11 12 13 14 15 16 in.

\$1.25 1.50 1.75 2 2.35 2.50 2.75.

LEATHER LINED, COVD FRAME GR. LEA CLUB.

\$1.85 2.15 2.50 2.85 3.20 3.50 3.80.

BETTER QUAL. SOFT BOTTOM, IN ONE PIECE.

\$2.60 2.95 3.30 3.65 4.00 4.35 4.75.

Grain Leather English Club, stitched, steel frame.

- 5.00 5.50 6.00 6.50 7.00.

Gennine Alligator Satchels, leather-lined.

\$3.50 4.00 4.50 5.50 6.00 6.50.

Gennine Alligator English Club, stitched, steel frame.

- 7.50 8.25 9.00 3.75 10.50.

Grain Leather Ghalstone Bags.

14 16 18 29 22 24 in.

\$2.95 3.45 4.00 4.50 5.25 6.00.

Grain Leather, covered frame, full leather-lined Bags.

\$4.75 5.50 6.25 7.00 7.75 8.50.

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RENRY R. WORTHINCTON. Steam Pumps. SHIPMAN ENGINE CO. Oil Engines and Steam Launches, and the NATIONAL HOT WATER HEATING CO. We always have on hand a large stock of BOILERS, ENGINES, FUMPS, ELEVATORS, LAUNCHES, AND SMALL MACHINERY.

1001, 1003, 1005 Seventh st. s. w. Washington, D. C. Telephone No. 1031-3. SAMPSON'S No. 4 4-4 FLOOR OILCLOTH, 20c.: 8-4, 30c.: 8-4, 40c. KAUFMAN'S DOUBLE COMBINATION, my3-3: 1241 and 1243 11th st. ac.

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THE CONCORD HARNESS.

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tee satisfaction.

WASHINGTON, D. C., APRIL 15, 1889.

A meeting of the stockholders of the RIGGS FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY for the election of nine trustees will be held at the office of the company, 133 F st. n. w. on WEDNES-DAY, May 15th, 1889. Polls will be opened at 12 M and closed at 2 o'clock p. m. Transfer books will be closed on the day of election.

ap15-1m FRANCIS B. MOHUN, Sec'y. 497 Penn. ave., adjoining National Hotel, NEW SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN SCIENCE-MRS. L. PAULINE HOLBROOK,
graduate of Boston Metaphysical college, after four
years' successful work in healing and teaching, has
opened a school of Christian Science at Riggs House
annex, 1406 Gst. Chasses formed monthly.
Office hours 10 to 1 and 4 to 6. ap20-1m* Trunks and Satchels of best makes at low prices.

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Used with the greatest success for the last sixty years in curing Constipation, Liver Complaints, Painful Direction. Epidemics, Fevers, Diseases of the The genuine Dr. GUILLIE'S Elixir and Pills bear the signature PAUL GAGE, M. D., 9 rue de Gren

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A laxative refreshing, fruit lozenge, very agreeable to take for CONSTIPATION, hemorrhoids, bile, icss of appetite, gastric and intestinal troubles and hendache arising it om them.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

916 Pa. avenue.

ap 20-3w J. W. HARSHA, Secretary.

OFFICE COLLECTOR OF TAXES. DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. WASHINGTON, May I. 1889.—The attention of taxpayers is called to the tax levied for the year ending June 30, 1889, on real and personal property. The second half of such tax, where not previously yaid, will become due and payable on the first day of May, and if not paid before the first day of June, ensuing, shall thereupon be in arrears and delinquent; and a penalty of two per centum upon the amount thereof shall be added, and the same, with other taxes due and in arrears, will be listed for advertisement and tax sale in the manner prescribed by existing law. By order of the Commissioners of the District of Columbia. Attest: E. G. DAVIS, Coliector of Taxes.

JOHN E. BEALL, Secretary.

GENERAL TAXES DUE PRIOR TO
July 1, 1888, can be paid at a discount
ALLEN C. CLARK,
605 F st. n.w.

DR. J. B. TENEYCK HAS REMOVED his Deutal Office and residence to 16010 st. n.w., corner of 16th st. The red herdics pass the door.

EQUITABLE

CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

"EQUITABLE BUILDING," 1003 F ST.

First payment

paid. ROBERT G. CAMPBELL, President, 517 10th st. n. w.

JNO. A. PRESCOTT, Secretary and Treasurer, ap25-12t 1416 F st. n. w.

JNO. A. PRESCOTT, Section 1416 F st. n. w. ap25-12t

SPECIAL NOTICE—STAGES FOR ARlington Corner of 32d and M streets, hourly from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., daily; fare 50c. round trip. Also single and double teams for hire. Parties desirous of visiting the Falls, fading parties, can charter stages from my stables opposite New Bridge, M st. Cabs and handsoms for hire. LEWIS J. COLLINS, ap20-1m*

ALL PERSONS HAVING GOODS DE-six months or more, are hereby notified to call at once and pay interest or their goods will be sold at my auc-tion. May 14, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned under the firm title of Gray & Clarkson, in the city of Washington, D. C., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. By agreement between the undersigned all liabilities of the firm are hereby assumed by George R. Gray, who will henceforth carry on the business under his own name. All debts to the firm may be paid to the said George R. Gray, and promptness is requested in such settlement.

FRANK B. CLARKSON.

Washington, D. C., May 1, 1889.

De C. W. EVANZONI.

605 I ST. N. W.

H. B. SMITH, ARTIST, MAKES AND delivers at once a free-hand Crayon Portrait by paying \$1 per week; prices \$10 to \$75; Satisfaction guaranteed; largest studio in Washington. Call and see specimens. Cor. 6th st. and Mass. ave. ml-1w

FOR BRIGHT, QUICK FIRE AND CHEAP CLEAN FUEL buy Washington Gas Light company's Coke. JOHNSON BROTHERS, 255-Cm Exclusive Agents.

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KINGSLEY BROS. CREAMERY CO.

CHOICEST DAIRY PRODUCTS. WHOLESALE AND

RETAIL MILK AND CREAM DEPOT,

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

DR. C. W. FRANZONI

H. K. FULTON, Pawnbroker and Auctioneer.

THOS. SOMERVILLE, Pres't.

17th issue

JNO. JOY EDSON, Sec'y.

May, 1889.

Storage Departments all above ground, my4-4m

WASHINGTON, D. C., MONDAY, MAY 6, 1889.

THE SECOND PUBLIC REHEARSAL OF the Georgetown Madrigal Society will be given at Linthicum Hall, O st. bet. 31st and 32d, TUESDAY EVENING, May 7, at 8 o'clock. Tickets 50 cents; to be obtained from members and at the door. the Rev. Sandy Alexander, baptized 22 converts in Rock Creek last Sunday, May 5th, smidst thousands of spectators, and there was profound respect shown to the administrator by both white and colored. spect shown to the administrator by both white and colored.

VETERANS OF 1840.

The citizens residing in the District of Columbia who voted for Gen. Wm. Henry Harrison, at the presidential election in 1840, and gave their support to his grandson in 1888, and for whom no carriages could be allowed place in the procession, nor room assigned them on the stand at the Capitol during the parade and ceremonies at the late inauguration, are hereby notified that arrangements have been made that they may be received by the President and be presented to him personally at the Erecutive Mansion NEXT THURSDAY, MAY 97H INST., at 12 o'clock in. To this end they are requested to assemble in the East Room punctually at a quarter before 12 o'clock on that day.

A. M. CLAPP.

ROBERT C. SCHENCK, S. C. POMEROY,
MAY 6, 1889.

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REMOVAL MAURICE JOYCE EN. PERSONS WISHING ARTIFICIAL STONE or Graudithic walk haid, or wet cellars made dry and sweet by Fortland Cement pavements, old walks or old concrete resurfaced and made as good as new, will find it to their benefit to call or address—

B. KIORDAN, 611 N st. n.w.,
my2-5t* Gen'l Contractor in all Kinds of Pavements. WASHINGTON SAFE DEPOSIT CO.,

SPECIAL NOTICES.

OAKMONT JERSEY MILK, THE BEST in the city, can be supplied to a few customers in northwest section. Direct from the farm, Spring road, near 14th. Recommended by the leading physicians, and all who use it. Address P. O. BOX 586. HAVING WITHDRAWN FROM THE days open a new yard with a complete stock of seasoned lumber and mill work, at which time the public will be notified.

RICHARD H. WILLET. REMOVAL MAURICE JOYCE, Engraver and stereotyper, who was formerly located at 418 11th st., has moved temporarily into the old Globe building, 339 Pa. ave n.w., pending building operations, after which he will return to his new quarters on the 1st of September. my6-3t ROCHDALE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY.

S. S. SHEDD & BRO. GAS FIXTURES.

SLATE MANTELS,

LATROBES, FURNACES, RANGES, 432 9th st. n.w.

Members of this Society are informed that the new TRADE CARDS and Lists for the year 1889 and 1890 are now ready for distribution and can be obtained from members named below. The old, or brown, card, which expires April 30, 1889 (of no use after that date), should be returned, with presentaddress written across it, to the members of the committee when applying for the new card and list, Many important changes have been made in the list of contracts, and members will find it much to their advantage by obtaining the same without delay.

Fersons not members can obtain needed information by applying to any of those named below. ALL members must be in possession of the new card and list or they will not be recognized. Apply at once at the residences of A FEW THOUGHTS FOR THINKING MEN. bers misst be in possession of the new card and also or they will not be recognized. Apply at once at the residences of—
A. T. Longley, President, 806 A st. n.e.
Smith Thompson, V. Presit, 1829 F st. n.w., A. G. O. J. W. Harsha, See'y, 905 H st. n.w., Bureau Stat.
E. C. Fawcett, 603 Mass, ave. n.e., 4th Aud. office.
J. E. McCabe, 22 3d st. n.e., P. O. Dept.
L. F. Hunt, 1310 S st. n.w., 6th Aud. office,
H. W. Smith, 716 B st. s. w., Q. M. G. O.
John Morrison, 624 Q st. n.w., Pension office.
L. E. Gridley, 706 L st. n.w., Register's office.
Dr. Jos. Jouy, 2218 Pa. ave. n.w., S. G. O.
John Finz, 518 23d st. n.w., A. G. O.
C. B. Sayer, 703 16th st. n.e., S. G. O.
H. G. Potter, 1106 G st. n.w., G. L. O.
F. J. Young, 409 Spruce st., Treasury Dept.
C. V. Haskell, 1300 V st. n.w.
G. S. Livingston, 2112 K st. n.w., U. S. Sig. office.
A. N. Meeker, 207 3d st. s.e., Bu. Eng, and Print'g.
W. E. Middleton, 1517 29th st., Georgetown,
Edw'd Saxton, 1232 Linden place, n.e., G. P. O.
W. H. Womersly, 1726 H st. n.w., Treasury Dept.
Capt, Jno. A. Harvsy, 1228 C st. s.w., Agril Dept.
M. R. Henderson, 705 15th st. n.w., at cigar store.
The secretary can also be seen at the latter place for a few minutes each day at 12 and 4 o'clock.
By order executive committee.
J. W. HARSHA, Secretary.

OFFICE COLLECTOR OF TAXES. DIS-

Correct Merchant Tailoring is the taking-in of the individualities of the man and cutting the cloth to fit those individualities. Any observing man can instantly detect the difference between Custom-made and Ready-made Clothes. In tailoring, like in everything else, "times change." You are now buying with more discretion than ever before, and the styles, methods and prices of yesterday will not do for to-day. I propose to keep fully abreast of the times in all matters pertaining to tailoring. I sell strictly for cash, and the fac't hat "cash makes a lower price" is substantiated by the occasional offerings of some Tailors who advertise certain lines at a reduced price "for cash only," thus barring out their credit customers. Is it not an acknowledgment that Tailoring can be done for less if for cash? I claim that the man who buys his trousers and suits on credit pays from 25 to 33% per cent more than he should, or would, if he paid cash. I offer Custom Work almost as low as you are charged for factory work, yet I am not competing with low-grade cloths and materials and poor work. My cloths embrace "from the good to the best made," and I promise you a perfect fit and entire satisfaction at a less price than can be named by any other equally first-class Tailor. Having just returned from the New York market, I am now offering, in addition to my regular stock, an unusually attractive line of Trouserings and Coatings, at prices from 25 to 33% per cent less than generally pre-

1 Line of \$12 Trouserings at \$8.35. 1 Line of \$10 Trouserings at \$7.35. 1 Line of \$9 Trouserings at \$6.35. \$35 Black Diagonal Coat and Vest, to order, at

Martin's Celebrated Worsted Coat and Vest, to order, usually sold at \$37.50, for \$27. One price to all, and that price plainly marked on the cloths. My usual high standard of workmanship and finish will be fully maintained.

"Expert in Trousers," Cor. Ninth and G sts. n. w.

THE ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING of the Second Columbia Co-operative Building Association will be held TO-MORROW EVENING at 7 o'clock to consider amendments to the constitution. to merge offices of secretary and treasurer in one. Advances will be made at this meeting.

THOS. M. REED, Secretary. my6-2t

MEMBERS OF POTOMAC UNION LODGE, No. 892, G. U. O. O. F., are requested to meet at their hall TUESDAY, the 7th inst. at 12:30 o'clock M., to attend the funeral of our late brother, P. N. F. SIMON PHOENIX. Members of sister lodges are invited to attend. His remains will be rested in Mt. Zion M. E. church, 29th st. n. w., at 2:30 p.m. THOS. PAGE, N. G. J. W. LEE, P. S.

WHAT ARE STORES FOR? TO MAKE

noney? Yes, but something more than this. Office open daily from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., when sub-scription for shares and payments thereon is received Shares \$2.50 per month; \$1,000 advanced on each People's wants must be supplied. For this purpose we send buyers to Europe to purchase each nation's shure.

Pamphlets explaining the object and advantages of the Association and other information furnished upon application. UNDERWEAR, NECKWEAR, COLLARS and CUFFS, UMBRELLAS, and OUTING GOODS. You find them at your fingers' end. Ours is the toil, your's the pleasure. GAS FIXTURES,
LAMPS.
MANUFACTURERS PRICES.
GUARANTEED BEST QUALITY AND WORKMANSHIP. Spring and summer bring with them your needs. We have anticipated these and are now ready. Each line

H. F. WOODARD & CO.,

MEN'S IMPORTING FURNISHERS,

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION. Notice is hereby given the Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned under the firm title of STIDHAM & DORSEY, in the City of Washington, D. C., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Mr. A. D. STIDHAM will continue the business, and will pay all outstanding bills of said firm, and is authorized to collect and receipt for all bills due said firm.

Washington, D.C., May 6, 1889. TO AND FROM THE CIRCUS.—FOR THE accommodation of the public to and from the circus at the NATIONAL BASE-BALL PARK, Wednesday and Thursday, the CO. UMBIA RAILWAY COMPANY have arranged with the Metropolitan company to run 10 additional two-horse cars from the corner of New York ave, and 15th st. n.w. my6-2t*

1889.

CENTENNIAL NOTICE.

GEORGE WASHINGTON SURPRISED.

THE SECOND WORKINGMEN'S OFFERS NO BETTER INDUCEMENT THAN SIX PER CENT. OLD GEORGE SAYS TOO MUCH. WE GUARAN-TEE AND WILL LOAN \$180 ON ONE SHARE FOR \$2 RETURN PAYMENT, AND PAY SIX PER CENT CAYWOOD & GARRETT HAVE REmoved their office from 916 F st.n. w. to the southeast corner of 13th st. and Naw York ave., where they will conduct the real estate business. They solicit the patronage of the public and guarantee satisfaction. ON ALL INVESTMENT.

MEETING MAY 8, 1889.

NEW ISSUE SHARES, \$1.00 EACH.

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Office of Secretary. JOHN T. LYNCH 2004 9th St. N.W.

President. THOS. BRODERICK,

2135 K St. N.W.

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1206 F street.
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SERIAL, SAVINGS AND BUILDING to whose ears it has come. Massociation.

ELEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING.
The eleventh annual meeting of the SERIAL, SAVINGS AND BUILDING ASSOCIATION, and also in

It is understood that one of the

INGS AND BUILDING ASSOCIATION, and also in conjunction with the same, the first meeting for the payment of dues on the new twenty-third issue of stock, will be held at the association's hall, 615 7th st n. w., WEDNESDAY, the 8th inst., at 7:30 o'clock p.m. Shares are \$1 each, payable mouthly, commencing with the current month. The secretary and treasurer will submit his eleventh annual report. Officers to serve the ensuing year will be elected, and such other business will be transacted as may properly come before the meeting. The secretary and treasurer will be at the meeting at 7 o'clock to receive subscriptions and payments of dues.

ROBT. G. CAMPBELL, President,
JNO. A. PRESCOTT, Secretary and Treasurer, Kellogs building, 1416 F st. n.w.

FIRST CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING

E. GRILLON.
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GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS To-DAY. - Internal revenue, \$948,652; customs, \$975,041.

CELEBRATING BUNKER HILL.-The commandant of the navy-yard at Boston has been directed to fire a national salute at sunrise, noon and sunset on the 17th instant, the anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill, and, if in his judgment proper and expedient, to direct the marines to take part in the parade.

THE MONITOR PURITAN. - The monitor Puritan having been taken out of the dry dock at Newport News, returned to the Norfolk navyyard Saturday afternoon in tow of two tugs. While in dock the Puritan had a new blade put in her propeller, which was broken on her trial der that of a republic. trip; had sea valves repaired and bottom repainted. She was laid up at St. Helena until the government gets ready to complete here.

STEAM TUGS FOR THE NAVAL SERVICE.-The last naval appropriation act having made provision for the purchase or construction by contract of four steam tugs, at a cost not to exceed \$35,000 each (one to be for the Washington and another for the Mare Island navy-vard), a board, consisting of Capt. R. W. Meade, Chief Engineer De Valin, and Naval Constructor Mintoyne has been ordered to convene at the Washington yard to take into consideration the question as to the size and class of tugs best suited for the needs of the service and the cost of which will not exceed the limit of the appropriation

NAVAL ORDERS,-Paymaster Geo. H. Read has been ordered to duty on the receiving-ship Vermont in addition to present duties. Lieut. York Noll has been detached from the Vermont and ordered to the Dispatch. Paymaster H. T. Stancliff has been detached from duty in the bureau of provisions and clothing and ordered to the Marion. Paymaster John Macmahon has been detached from the Marion and ordered to return home. Paymaster E. N. Whitehouse has been detached from the Vermont and ordered to the Chicago.

PEACE IN OKLAHOMA. - The War department is in receipt of a telegram from Gen. Crook | tant, where he immediately went to bed and to saying that he is informed by Gen. Merritt that Col. Wade reports all quiet in Oklahoma, and that the scouts have discovered no attempts to settle in the Cherokee outlet.

NOT A DIPLOMATIC DUTY.-Acting Secretary Bactheller has informed the Secretary of State that the legal officers of the Treasury department are of the opinion that secretaries of legations and other merely diplomatic officers have no legal right to execute the required certificates to invoices of merchandise shipped to the United States, and exact fees for such service. The authentication of invoices is by aw restricted to consular officers.

THE SIOUX COMMISSION .- Hon. Chas. Foster, of Ohio, and Gen. Wm. Warner, of Missouri, members of the Sioux commission, called on the Secretary of the Interior to-day and had a conference with him relative to their duties, They received their printed instructions. The other member of the commission, Gen. Crook, will meet his associates in Chicago May 27, from which point they will proceed to the Sioux reservation in Dakota.

GEN. B. F. BUTLER was at the Post-Office department to-day.

The way to advertise is to put your announcement where it will be seen by the people you want to reach. THE STAR reaches everybody in Washington, and all advertisetisements in its columns are regularly and carefully read by all members of the house-

THE REBELLION RECORDS. Major George B. Davis for Head of the **Publication Commission.**

Major George B. Davis, judge-advocate, who has recently acted as judge-advocate of the Lydecker and Armes courts martial, has been selected by Secretary Proctor as the army officer at the head of the commission provided for in the sundry civil appropriation bill to continue the publication of the records of the war of the rebellion. There will be two others to act with him, civilian experts, who have not yet been selected. The appropriation for this purpose will not be available until the 1st of July, and until then Col. Lazelle will continue in charge of the publications, but Major Davis will report to him at once, in order to be given an insight into the methods that have been heretofore pursued and to devise plans for the future.

THE WORK TO BE COMPLETED IN FIVE YEARS. The entire work is to be completed in five years, and the commission will have their hands full. The selection of Major Davis is not generally known, not yet having been officially promulgated, but is approved by those to whose ears it has come. Major Davis was recently engaged with Col. Barr upon the re-

It is understood that one of the civilian pointments has been offered to Joseph W. Kirk-ley, a chief of division in the adjutant general's office, but it is not sure whether or not he will accept.

Telegrams to The Star. THE LUXEMBURG REGENCY

The Duke of Nassau's Friends Think Their Time Will Come.

OKLAHOMA LAND-GRABBING. CHICAGO HAS A TRUNK MYSTERY.

Northwest. THE LUXEMBURG REGENCY.

Friends of the Duke of Nassau Cha-

grined at His Displacement. London, May 6 .- The friends of the duke of Nassau are chagrined, but by no means dismayed, at his sudden and unexpected displacement from the regency of Luxemburg. They venerable king of Holland will much longer be an obstacle to his resumption of the honors which he held for such a brief period. The

duke himself has this solace for his mortifica-tion that he has learned the estimate formed of him in the courts of Europe.

It is confidently stated that Germany viewed his future career with apprehension, as he by no means promised to be the subservient semially which it was hoped he would prove to be. As for the Dutch they look from grief and silent rage on the nominal disintegration of their territory, and never was enthusiasm more heartfelt than that which hailed the announcement that their aged monarch would continue his rule over the intact domain.

THE PROVERS ABOUT POSSESSION . may receive a new exemplification in the case of the Duke of Nassau. No one knows what complications may take place in European affairs before the death of the king of Holland, and the duke may have bidden adieu to his little but important province fortunes. The Belgian press, while congratulating Holland on the convalescence of King William, appear to regret the retirement of the duke. A practically independent state in the geographical position of Luxemburg would prove another obstacle to German aggressiveness, and put off still fur-ther the conflict regarded by all with such dread, yet so confidently predicted. The sympathy of the workmen in the large cities of Belgium has always been with republicanism in France and elsewhere, and the article in the country. The clerical and royal press explain the progress of the United States by the usual

FIRED BY A NIGHT WATCHMAN. Deliberate Attempt to Destroy a Large Paper Mill.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., May 6.-The Ontario Believed to be the Result of a Thieving paper mill, which is located about 3 miles from this city and is one of the largest mills in northern New York, was set on fire in four different places at about 1 o'clock this morning, but was not destroyed, owing to good fire fighting facilities in the building and the work of the city fire department. The mill had only recently been completed at a cost of \$300,000. There is every reason to believe that the fires were kindled by James Warden, the night watchman, who was the only man besides the fireman in the mill last night, work on full time not having commenced. The fires were set in various parts of the building and outbuildings, two of the latter, the blacksmith shop and a store-house, beside a dwelling, which stood near, being burned to the ground. When the fire was started the watchman went to a house near by and dragged a woman down the steps, telling her to come out and see the big fire. Then he went inside the main building and began to break windows, though by that time the fires there were under control. He was stopped by a citizen who told him he was under arrest and was taken to his home, about half a mile dissleep. It is not yet known whether he was drunk or crazy. He is now under arrest.

TROUBLE EXPECTED.

A Parish Divided into Factions over a Desperado's Death.

St. Louis, May 6.-Information comes from New Orleans to the effect that Vernou, a sparsely-settled parish on the border of Texas, appears on the eve of a civil war, and much blood may flow. Two years ago A. D. Lyles, a driven from that state for cattle stealing, settled in Vernon parish and engaged in stock dealing. He always went heavily armed and inclined to murderous aggressiveness. He was said to have struck several parties with his rifle and deliberately stepped upon the toes of men while entering stores. So odious did he become that one night recently he was filled with buckshot and left dead on a bridge six miles from Leesburg. His killing was the be-ginning of the trouble. The editor of the People's Friend attacked State Senator E. E. Smart, prosperous and influential citizen, accusing him of the crime and demanding punishment. The Vernon News defended the senator. The parish speedily divided into factions, the old element supporting the News and the border ruffians the Friend. Sorrell, editor of the latter, has made himself very aggressive, and it is feared he will be killed. If such an event occurs the two factions will fight, with bloody re-

A Man Killed for a Hatchet.

St. Paul, Minn., May 6.-At 10 o'clock last night Mikel Chesney, a Polish laborer, was returning up the narrow alley which constitutes the main street of Pollacktown, when John Lampbrek and several friends met him. Lampbrek had loaned Chesney a hatchet for the use of which he was to be paid 25 cents, and, being in an ugly mood and drunk, he stopped Chesney to demand immediate payment or the return of the instrument. Chesney offered to buy the hatchet for \$1 and gave Lampbrek a \$5 gold piece, expecting to get change. Instead he got a blow on the head from a revolver which Lampbrek carried, and the blow was followed up with a dozen more of the same kind, until Chesney fell insensible and fatally wounded. The blow which finished Chesney caught him in the left temple, leaving a hole large enough to admit a man's finger. His head and face are gashed in a dozen places. Lampbrek has not yet been captured.

Murder in the Second Degree. BENTON, ILL., May 6.—The Williams murder trial ended here yesterday, the jury finding the defendant guilty of murder in the second degree and sentencing him to the penitentiary for fifteen years. The defendant seemed unmoved by it, although he had hoped for an acquittal. His counsel immediately made a motion for a new trial. The verdict meets with a general approval here. From Wall Street To-day.

New York, May 6, 11 a. m. - The stock marwhile first prices were somewhat irregularly changed from Saturday's final figures, but gen-

erally were lower, declines extending to % per cent, Louisville and Nashville and Lake Shore Interior Department Changes.

The following official changes have been made in the Department of the Interior:

Patent office—Appointments: Harold S. McKaye, of New York, and Joseph Becker, of New York, fourth assistant examiners, \$1,200.

General land office—Appointments: A. E. Rosenbusch, of North Carolina, swamp land agent, \$1,400; Joseph Denison, of Illinois, timber agent, \$1,300; Miss Carrie P. Church, of Nebraska, and Miss India A. Pugh, of West Virginia, transcribers of records and plats, \$600. showing the largest differences. The early

CHICAGO'S TRUNK MYSTERY.

Over a Hundred Detectives Seeking a

CHICAGO, May 6 .- Nearly one hundred detectives and officers belonging to the city force, the Lakeview force, and the Pinkerton agency were scouring Lakeview this morning in the hope of finding some clue to the mysterious disappearance of Dr. H. H. Cronin. So far no success has attended their efforts. The trunk in which the doctor's body is thought to have been placed after the supposed murder has been traced from the corner of Fullerton avenue and Ferry street to Clark street, from there to Evanston avenue, and from there to Sulser street. At that point the trail ends. The tuft of hair found in the trunk will be taken to Dr. Cronin's barber in order that it may be positively identified if possible. The friends of Dr. Cronin scout the idea that he is on a spree. They deny that he was what is known as a Disastrous Forest Fires in the drinking man," and say that he never indulged in liquor to excess.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRES.

Immense Damage to Standing Timber and the Houses of many Settlers Burned.

bide their time, as it is not probable that the Minnesota and Wisconsin. Already immense damage has been done to standing timber, and many towns are threatened with destruction.

A special from Duluth says a dense cloud of some instances the houses of settlers were burned. The fires seem to be the worst on the son and south beyond Barnumsi and on the beyond Northern Pacific junction. There are reports of damage from the settlements back of Orloff's friends on the charge of being cons city on country roads, from the Ashland nected with the nihilist party. division of the Northern Pacific and elsewhere, The Northern Pacific trestle, near Walbridge, Wis., on the Superior line, was burned yesterday. Ashland, Wis., advices say that furious fires are raging in the northern Wisconsin for-rests, and the loss will be very heavy.

A PATCH OF GROUND. Settlers Quietly Occupying a Part of triet prices. The representatives of four mines the Sioux Territory.

YANKTON, DAK., May 6 .- Between the Niobrara river and the Missouri river and between the Niobrara river and the Keyahapa river is a point of the land embraced within the Sionx reservation. The progressive white man has Independence Belge on the Washington centen- ground. Settlers are assembling at Niobrara visit a neighbor. A mountain stream in their nial created a profound sensation all over the and are quietly slipping across the Niobrara path was swollen out of its banks, but Harr atriver and occupying claims upon the tract tempted to cross it in a canoe. Half way over above described. They are occupying it as the boat capsized and the whole family were dilation upon the extent of its territory, and while still hoping it may continue, argue that the country would have flourished under a mutual protection and defense. Under the seized another and made desperate efforts to this is Sioux territory. It does not become a swept down stream and perished before help part of the state of Nebraska until the Indian could reach him. The bodies have been retitle is extinguished. The Indians' title can covered, only be extinguished by treaty agreement.

A MYSTERIOUS ACCIDENT. Expedition.

DECKERSTOWN, N. J., May 6 .- At an early hour yesterday morning two young men awakened farmer Wm. Swartz and asked him for assistance. He opened his door and then discovered that one of the men was almost naked and covered with blood from head to foot. His hands were almost blown off, while his face. neck, and body were awfully burned. The men tell a story to the effect that they had purchased some powder to go hunting with, and that by some mishap a match in the pocket of the wounded man ignited the powder and

A physician was summoned and dressed the wounds, but he thinks the man cannot live. Investigation shows that a tool house near the railroad had been broken into and robbed of tools and some giant powder cartridges, while the powder magazine of Jacob L. Lawrence, near by, had likewise been robbed. It is believed that the men had been engaged

in a thieving expedition, and that their operations came to an end by the accidental explosion of the powder, with the result as above stated. The matter is being investigated by

A BIG FIRE IN WINNIPEG. Several Business Houses and a Jewish Synagogue Destroyed.

WINNIPEG, May 6 .- The biggest fire in the business houses. The following places were Commissioner of Pensions Tanner, Mr. Win-Texas desperado, who, it is charged, had been destroyed: Bell Brothers grocery, C. A. Bardrim, the supervising architect of kervill's hardware establishment, W. E. Per- the Treasury, Mr. Clarkson and Mr. menter's, stationery; G. A. Anderson, provision Whitfield, the first and second assisthouse; R. Lyons, boots and shoes: Jewish syn-agogue and the Brooklyn hotel. The fire is now practically under control, the firemen having succeeded in preventing it from crossing the street. The Second Metho-dist church and other buildings were badly scorched, but saved with small damage. Estimated loss, \$40,000. Insurance small.

> A Peacemaker Murdered. PORT HURON, MICH., May 6.-Harry Axworthy, an employe in James Spry's battingworks, was murdered Saturday night by Otta Sandborg. Spry and Sandborg engaged in a quarrel and Axworthy undertook to separate them, when Sandborg plunged a knife into his skull, producing a fatal wound. Sandborg was arrested. He belongs to one of the best fami-

a son of the late E. L. Davenport and a brother of Fanny Davenport. Mr. Davenport said the statements were erroneous. "I have said the statements were erroneous. "I have but one brother," he said, "Harry B. Davenport, who is in New York, and two sisters-Fanny and May. This man I do not know."

McMillin Beats Christol. MILWAUKEE, WIS., May 6 .- At the Milwaukee garden vesterday afternoon D. A. McMillin threw Lucien Marc Christol three straight fails, Græco-Roman style. The match was for \$50 a side and the entire gate receipts. The length of the bout was 11:55, 8:40, and 5:43 minutes, respectively.

Prepared to Meet all Demands. St. PAUL, MINN., May 6 .- A rumor that the Washburn Mill company had assigned, caused a run on the Anoka National bank Saturday, Senator Washburn, being president of the

W. S. Hale, treasurer of the Mill company, says the amount withdrawn was \$25,000 in small sums, none of the heavy depositors tak-ing part in the run. There are \$200.000 deposits, and the bank is prepared to pay all demands on the spot. The rumor in question doubtless grew out of the fact that Mr. Washburn is about to close up the Anoka branch of his lumber business, in order to concentrate his interests and relieve himself of some of their active managements, the step made necessary by his new duties as senator. Mr. Washburn is at Hot Springs, but will be home shortly.

Crops Retarded by the Weather. DES MOINES, IOWA, May 6.—The signal-service station here reports that the weather for the perature has been below the normal in all portions of the state, with frequent heavy frosts, but no damage is reported, except from the counties of Harrison. Shelby, Union, Mills and Kossuth, where the fruit crop is thought to be seriously injured. Crops in general need moisture. The ground is in good condition for corn planting.

TWO CENTS.

expressed himself as confident of the quiet character of the new people and opposed to the introduction of much federal authority. He is marshal of New Mexico and the Indian Territory, but there is technical dispute AS TO HIS FULL JURISDICTION Clue to Dr. Cronin's Disappearance. in the latter section. Marshal Jones, of the southern district of Kansas, claimed jurisdice tion. Needles certainly opposed Jones' pre-

> ties in Oklahoma," said he to me upon that oc-casion, "and I believe that I have induced the government at Washington to see that there is no use for Jones." Jones, however, went down there with a full commission and 700 deputies. I will say that, while I have met many officials responsible to Jones, I have not yet encountered one of Necdles' deputies. Jones is the appointee of a previous administration, expecting to be dismissed and ready to make the most of his op-

tenses. "There is no need of crowds of depu-

OKLAHOMA LAND GRABBING.

The Burden of Guilt Shared by Mar-

shals Jones and Needles.

CHICAGO, May 6. - A News special from Arksu-

sas City, Kan., referring to the land grabbing

in Oklahoma by deputy United States marshals

says; The burden of guilt is shared between Marshals Jones and Needles. I believe Jones to be wholly guilty and defiant of consequences.

I am satisfied, however, that Needles has grounds of defense sufficient to mitigate his offense, or it may be to acquit him altogether. Still he is worthy of suspicion. I met Needles only once, and that before the opening. I think it was Friday April 30 in this city. He then

it was Friday, April 30, in this city.

portunities.

Tom Needles says to his friends that he is innocent of the charges made and that he had but four deputies in the tract,

Found Hanging to a Mast.

PORT BLAKELEY, WASH, TER., May 6 .- A man named M. R. Silber was found yesterday hanging to the mast of a small boat drifting about in the bay with a bullet hole in his head. The matter is a mystery and the authorities are investigating. Silber came to Port Blakely a few days ago, and hiring a small boat, went out St. Paul, Minn., May 6.—Special dispatches into the bay. Nothing was seen of him until report destructive fires raging in northern his lifeless body was discovered. The murder is supposed to have been committed by smugglers or pirates.

The Prima Donna's Murderer on Trial. LONDON, May 6, -A dispatch from Moscow smoke from burning brush and timber hangs says that the trial of Orioff, the agent of the over the city. Fires of a dangerous character secret police who a few weeks ago shot and are raging in nearly all directions from the city within a radius of 50 miles or more. In donna of the Deutcheon theater at Prague, opened to-day. The crime was a most sensaburned. The fires seem to be the worst on the line of the Duluth and Iron range, west of Thom-stage at a rehearsal of "Die Walkure," at the Grossen theater. Revenge was the motive for Northern Pacific as far as Norman, 20 miles the crime, both the singer and her deceased husband having caused the arrest of several of

Miners Will Stop Work.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., May 6,-At a mass meeting of miners held yesterday, representing five shafts, it was decided to discontinue work until there is a settlement of the existing difficulties. The trouble is owing to a demand of the operators for the men to work at less than the diswill hold a meeting and will probably take similar action.

A Whole Family Drowned. CHICAGO, May 6 .- A dispatch from Wheeling.

W. Va., says that a terrible accident is reported from Braxton, that state. P. B. Harr and famfastened his covetous eyes upon this patch of day he and his wife and two children started to ily lived in a thinly-settled district and yesterseveral acts of recognition by the government escape. He caught on to the canoe, but was

A Terrific Boiler Explosion.

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 6.-A boiler explosion occurred at Lowell's iron foundry and machine shop yesterday which was heard in all parts of the city. The explosion was a terrific one, totally demolishing the building in which it took place. The building was brick, three stories high, 40 feet long and 50 feet wide. The boiler was 16 feet in length and 40-horse-power and was inclosed in brick, being known as a hog-nose boiler. The part of the boiler that gave way was the back, a section of which was blown through the wall in the rear of the boiler. A second piece was shot through the roof into the air and came down through the roof of the P. C. Forsythe machine company's foundry. Chas. Onimette, the engineer, was standing in front of the boiler and was knocked insensible, but sustained no serious injury. Three other persons were about the building at the time, but all escaped injury. Had the explosion occurred on a week day the loss of life would have been very large, as a big force of men are employed at the shop. The loss will be heavy.

THE CITY POST-OFFICE.

It is Not Likely to be Removed to the Pension Building.

Mr. Clarkson, the first assistant postmastergeneral, is expected to return to the city tomorrow. It is probable that as soon as he comes there will be a meeting of the commission appointed to examine the hall of the pension building and report upon the advisability of removing the city post-office there. The commission will also report upon any other history of this city broke out this morning and location which they may deem suitable for the threatened to destroy a large portion of the purpose. The members of the commission are the city postmaster. The object of the Post-master-General in appointing the commission is to secure in an official form a statement of the quarters now available in this city for the city post-office. Their report will no doubt be transmitted to Congress. The Postmaster-Gen-eral was authorized by a clause in the appropriation bill passed at the last session of gress to remove the city post-office to the hall of

the pension building. WHY THE PENSION BUILDING WILL NOT DO. Arrangements were being made to make this transfer, when active operations were suspended in order to allow the hall to be used for the inaugural ball. It was, however, pretty well ascertained that the money appropriated for this purpose would not be sufficient to meet the expense of fitting up Was Not Fanny Davenport's Brother.

Boston, May 6.—Mr. Edgar L. Davenport, of the Boston Museum company, was seen this morning and shown the dispatch from San plete investigation of the entire subject they will prepare a report which will set forth clearly the needs of the city post-office, and the neces-sity for some immediate action to relieve the postal service in this city from the disadvantages under which it has labored for so many years by reason of the inadequete and mean building which it has been compelled to occupy.

Secretary Windom's Illness. Secretary Windom is better to-day, but was not well enough to leave his house. His condition has been much more serious than was supposed. He had a severe attack of cholera morbus Thursday night, which did not fully succumb to medical treatment until Saturday night. He was much prostrated yesterday, but feels much stronger to-day, so much so that he was able to leave his bed and dictate several letters to his private secretary, who spent several hours with him.

The Washington Monument. Col. Wilson, in his monthly report to the chief of engineers upon the operations upon public buildings and grounds in Washington, says that everything connected with the elevator in the Washington monument was found to be in good order upon the regular monthly inspection. The interior of the shaft has been lighted by lanterns, and electric light wires have been run from the 250-foot to the 490-foot level. There is now an entirely new outfit of wire and lamps above the 250-foot platform, and the lower section will be at once renewed. The boilers and engines were found to be in

good condition. good condition.

During the month, 7,619 persons ascended to the top of the monument by means of the elevator, and 1,731 walked up, making a total of 100,007 persons who have visited the top of the monument since October 9, 1888. Rapid progress is being made in the work of grading the mound at the base of the shaft. A detailed description is given by the report of the work done in the parks and reservations of the city.